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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 12/31/2022

Date Received by DCCECE: 1/3/2023

Facility Name: Little Creek Behavioral Health

Facility Number: 255

Facility Type: Residential

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: On 12/31 at approx. 1830, two patients ([REDACTED], DOB [REDACTED], [REDACTED] & [REDACTED], DOB [REDACTED], [REDACTED] eloped from the facility while walking to the vending machine with staff. Staff searched premises and surrounding areas for patients. Police were notified after 30 mins of them being gone. Police and staff found residents about a mile down the road headed to a gas station. Residents were returned to the facility at approximately 1909. Residents had no injuries noted.

Interim Action Narrative:

Maltreatment Narrative:

Outcome:

Licensing Narrative: On 12/31 at approx. 1830, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] eloped from the facility while walking to the vending machine with staff. Staff searched premises and surrounding areas for patients. Police were notified after 30 mins of them being gone. Police and staff found residents about a mile down the road headed to a gas station. Residents were returned to the facility at approximately 1909. Residents had no injuries noted. Visit to facility 1/4/23 confirms that both residents remain at facility with no

further incident. Facility reports that staff looked for clients and/or awaited their return for 30 minutes. Facility policy is to wait 30 minutes before calling police after an elopement.